


REMARKS

Applicants have amended claims 57 and 68 to clarify that the sterol ester composition is a sterol fatty acid ester composition. Support for this amendment can be found throughout the specification. Specifically, support can be found on page 9, lines 3-5.

Applicants' attorney wishes to thank Examiner Jiang for her telephone call to discuss the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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MARKED UP VERSION OF THE CLAIMS

57. (Amended) A clear, edible oil comprising about 10% to about 30% of a sterol fatty acid ester composition, wherein the sterol fatty acid ester composition comprises more than 50% monounsaturated fatty acid (MUFA) moieties.

68. (Amended) An edible oil comprising more than about 10% of a sterol fatty acid ester composition, the sterol fatty acid ester composition comprising more than about 50% monounsaturated fatty acids, less than about 6% saturated fatty acids, and less than 50% polyunsaturated fatty acids, wherein the unesterified sterol level is less than about 10%, and wherein the edible oil is free of solids at room temperature.